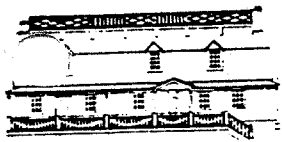


MARYLAND HISTORICAL



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INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY/DISTRICT MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST INTERNAL NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM

Property/District Name: Pleasant Valley, Carroll County Survey Number: CARR-1571

Project: Water + Sewer System Improvements Agency: FmHA

Site visit by MHT Staff: no X yes Name Ron Andrews Beth Hannold Date 7/18/91

Eligibility recommended X Eligibility not recommended

Criteria: X A B X C D Considerations: A B C D E F G None

Justification for decision: (Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map)

Under Criteria A, Pleasant Valley is representative of the small communities which developed throughout the Piedmont Region to serve as commercial and service centers for the surrounding farms. The mill, cannery and the still-functioning store serve as important reminders of this role. The industrial complex is also interesting for the illustration it provides of the changing economic activities of the area, from the milling of grain and lumber to canning of fruits and vegetables. The canning industry was an important one in Carroll County in the late 19th and early 20th century. By the mid-1970s all of the county's canning operations had closed. The Pleasant Valley facility is probably the most intact example of a cannery left in Carroll County.

Under Criteria C, Pleasant Valley is significant as a relatively intact example of Piedmont Region village. It exhibits the linear pattern of development typical of the area, with regularly spaced buildings sited close to the road. Its buildings, which date from the early 19th century through the early 20th century, are representative of the conservative building traditions of the region. Pleasant Valley retains important examples of increasingly rare building types, including the attached country store-residence, the mill and the cannery. While some buildings have been altered, they retain sufficient integrity to convey a sense of the historic village.

Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Project File

Prepared by: Elizabeth Hannold 8/22/91

Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services

Date

NR program concurrence: yes no not applicable

Reviewer, NR program

Date

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Pleasant Valley

Survey No. *Carr* 1571

LAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA - HISTORIC CONTEXT

I. Geographic Region:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Shore | (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Western Shore | (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles,
Prince George's and St. Mary's) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Piedmont | (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll,
Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Western Maryland | (Allegany, Garrett and Washington) |

II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Paleo-Indian | 10000-7500 B.C. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early Archaic | 7500-6000 B.C. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Archaic | 6000-4000 B.C. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Late Archaic | 4000-2000 B.C. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early Woodland | 2000-500 B.C. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Woodland | 500 B.C.- A.D. 900 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Late Woodland/Archaic | A.D. 900-1600 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contact and Settlement | A.D. 1570-1750 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rural Agrarian Intensification | A.D. 1680-1815 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agricultural-Industrial Transition | A.D. 1815-1870 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial/Urban Dominance | A.D. 1870-1930 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Modern Period | A.D. 1930-Present |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Period (<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric <input type="checkbox"/> historic) | |

III. Prehistoric Period Themes:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Subsistence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Settlement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Political |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demographic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Religion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Technology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Adaption |

IV. Historic Period Themes:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agriculture |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture, Landscape Architecture,
and Community Planning |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Economic (Commercial and Industrial) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government/Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Military |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Religion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Educational/Cultural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation |

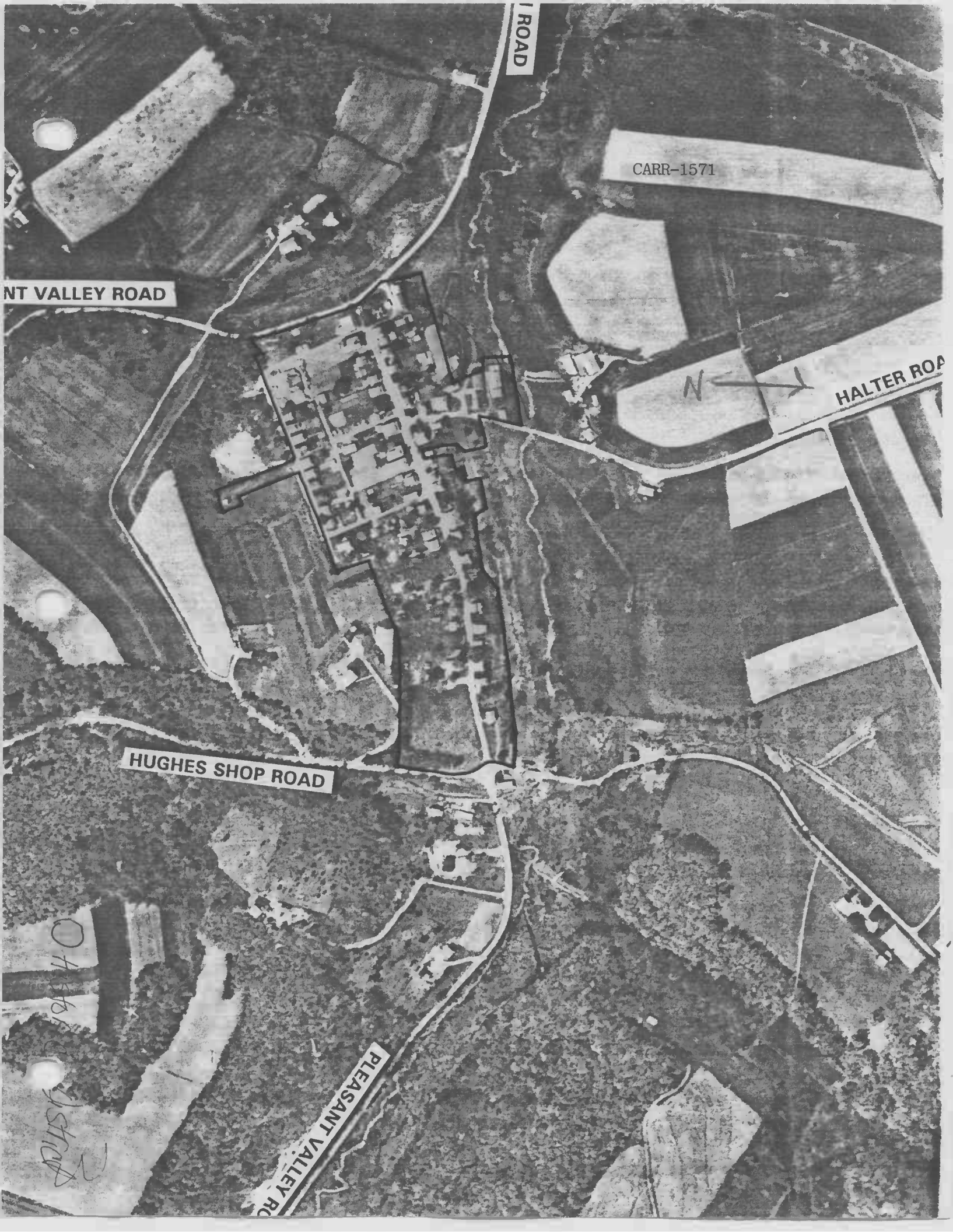
V. Resource Type:

Category: *Village*

Historic Environment: *Rural*

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): *Village*

Known Design Source: —



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